TRAFFIC BOARD MEETING 1005

MINUTES

Planning Conference Room, 4th Floor, City Hall Thursday, May 14, 2015

Call to Order. Called to order at 10:07 a.m. by Jared Kraham, Executive Assistant to the Mayor.

Traffic Board Member Present: Jared Kraham, Executive Assistant to the Mayor; Bill Berg, Council person; Rich Perkins,

Engineering; Terry Kellogg, DPW

Traffic Board Members Absent: William Yeager, Acting Chief of Police

Also Present: Dan Correll, retired BPD Officer; Cyndi Paddick, BMTS, Chuck Lucress, Leo O'Connor

Approval of Minutes. Request to approve the minutes Traffic Board Meeting 1004, held on Thursday, March 12, 2015, as amended.

Moved by B. Berg, seconded by R. Perkins

Motion carried. (Vote 4-0-1)

Ayes: B. Berg, R. Perkins, J. Kraham, T. Kellogg

Nays: None Absent: W. Yeager

Items Considered

Old Business:

Leroy Street and Oak Street Intersection. Mr. Berg reported that request for legislation will be coming from City Council. **Removed from agenda.**

Mary Street and Sherwood Avenue. Ms. Marcia Huntoon of 152 Mary Street is requesting a barrier or guide rail to protect her property at the corner of Mary Street and Sherwood Avenue. She indicated that the request is based on numerous accidents and near accidents at that location. Traffic board requested additional follow-up with Ms. Huntoon. Mr. Correll reported that there were only two incidents at this location and it had nothing to do with the cars coming down the hill. The Traffic Division does not see a reason for a barricade at this location. Mr. Perkins asked why the stop signs are on Sherwood Avenue and not Mary Street when Mary Street is the more traveled route. He will take a drive to look at this location and Ms. Paddick will look into counts (in June) for this intersection as well. Hold until Thursday, June 11, 2015 meeting.

South Washington Street/Conklin Avenue Pedestrian Crossing. Concern was shown at the Public Information Meeting regarding the bridge work. Mr. Perkins noted the DOT would be willing to reinstall flashing lights at this location. Mr. Kraham and Ms. Paddick will look into this further. **DPW will install pedestrian signage / cone at intersection.**

Moved by B. Berg, seconded by R. Perkins

Motion carried. (Vote 4-0-1)

Ayes: B. Berg, R. Perkins, J. Kraham, T. Kellogg

Nays: None Absent: W. Yeager

New Business:

224 Main St. Sidewalk relocation to accommodate new parking construction. Engineering will report back on financial situation of developer, Catholic Charities, and plans. **Hold until Thursday, June 11, 2015 meeting.**

Hayes Street A request was made by Mr. Chuck Lucress of the Conklin Ave. 1st Baptist Church to install handicapped parking spaces on this street for his elderly congregation. **Police Traffic Division looking into crosswalk issues. Hold until Thursday, June 11, 2015 meeting.**

33 Riverside Dr. A request from Leo O'Connor for an additional curb cut at his property. **Police Traffic Division looking into issue.** Hold until Thursday, June **11**, **2015 meeting.**

Adjournment.

Motion to adjourn at 10:55 a.m.

Moved by B. Berg, seconded by R. Perkins **Motion carried.** (Vote 4-0-1)

Ayes: B. Berg, R. Perkins, J. Kraham, T. Kellogg

Nays: None

Absent: W. Yeager